

MCGILL UNIVERSITY

November 8, 1932.

Sir Arthur Currie, Principal and Vice-Chancellor, McGill University.

Dear Sir Arthur:

The letter written to you from Ottawa on November 4th. by the Superintendent of the Forest Products Laboratory of Canada raises a question of great importance. Hitherto, McGill has insisted on resident study both for the Master's degree and for the Ph.D. degree.

It seems to me desirable to discuss this question with both the Arts Division Committee and with the Science Division Committee when they meet on November 24th. In this way we should gather an opinion of a very representative body of the University, and at least it would be possible to state a case for the consideration of the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research at their next meeting on or about December 1st.

It is right to add that in several cases Civil Servants have attended, more particularly at Macdonald College, for two half-sessions spread over two years. I understand that they have had leave of absence for this purpose, without salary; but I am not certain that this is the case.

Yours very truly.

Dr. A.S. Eve, Dean. Graduate Faculty.